LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **APRIL 11, 2006**, upon the application of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Smackover (11,820') Zone, Reservoir A,** in the South Downsville Field, Union Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize a substitute unit well and an alternate unit well for SMK RA SUF, and two (2) alternate unit wells for SMK RA SUN, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To approve an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 558-B, effective June 1, 1967, for the location of any of the proposed wells which does not comply with the spacing provisions of said Order.
- 3. To find that each of the proposed wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Smackover (11,820') Zone, Reservoir A, underlying the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within such unit.
- 4. To permit the Operator of SMK RA SUF and of SMK RA SUN to produce the unit allowables from the unit or substitute unit well, from any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the Operator.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Smackover (11,820') Zone, Reservoir A, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 558-B-2, effective February 26, 1976.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 3/28/06;3/31/06 S dnp

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.